P R O C L A M A T I O N

WHEREAS, our tree plantations and forests are essential to the livelihood, well-being and recreation of the citizens of the state; and

WHEREAS, it is most appropriate at this time to emphasize the need for and value of trees and shrubs in farm and homestead plantings; and

WHEREAS, tree planting ceremonies will help our citizens become more conscious of the value and the need of trees and their proper care; and

WHEREAS, South Dakota State College is commemorating the centennial of the establishment of the Land-Grant colleges and the United States Department of Agriculture by participating in state-wide tree planting activities;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ARCHIE GUBBRUD, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim Friday, April 27, 1962 as,

ARBOR DAY

and respectfully urge that appropriate exercises be held in the public schools; that civic, church, farm and youth organizations unite in directing the attention of the people to the need and importance of tree planting. I earnestly request that the day be observed in a loyal and public spirited manner and that during the coming year we exercise thought and effort in conserving our natural resources through wise use.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of South Dakota to be affixed this 23 day of April, in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and sixty-two.

Archie Gubbrud
ARCHIE GUBBRUD, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Essie Wiedenman
Secretary of State

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